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Applicant: Wayne H. Kaesemeyer
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Docket No.: 25795-2

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE
MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: BOX MISSING PARTS

Sir:


We have received a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application in the above-identified case.

In response to the September 27, 2000 Notice (copy enclosed), applicant herewith submits a signed and dated Declaration in accordance with 37 CFR 1.63. The surcharge fee in the amount of \$355.00 to cover the surcharge fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 02-2051.

Also enclosed are two verified Statements Claiming Small Entity Status. Please enter these statements in the record of the above-identified application.

If there are any further fees required by this communication, please charge the same to Deposit Account No. 02-2051.

Respectfully submitted,

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37 C.F.R. 1.27
STATEMENT OF STATUS AS
A SMALL ENTITY-INDEPENDENT INVENTOR

Dear Sir:

As below named inventor, I hereby declare that I qualify as an independent inventor of the invention described and claimed in the foregoing application; that (1) I have not assigned, granted, conveyed, or licensed and (2) am under no obligation or contract or law to assign, grant, convey, or license, any rights in said invention to any person who could not likewise be classified as an independent inventor under 37 C.F.R. 1.9(c) if that person had made the invention, or to any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 C.F.R. 1.9(d) or a non-profit organization under 37 C.F.R. 1.9(e).

The undersigned acknowledges that he has a duty to file a notification of any change in status of this application and any patent(s) issuing therefrom which change results in a loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to, or at the time of paying, the earlier of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which the small entity status is no longer appropriate.

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The undersigned further declares that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful and false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Date: 10-13-00

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